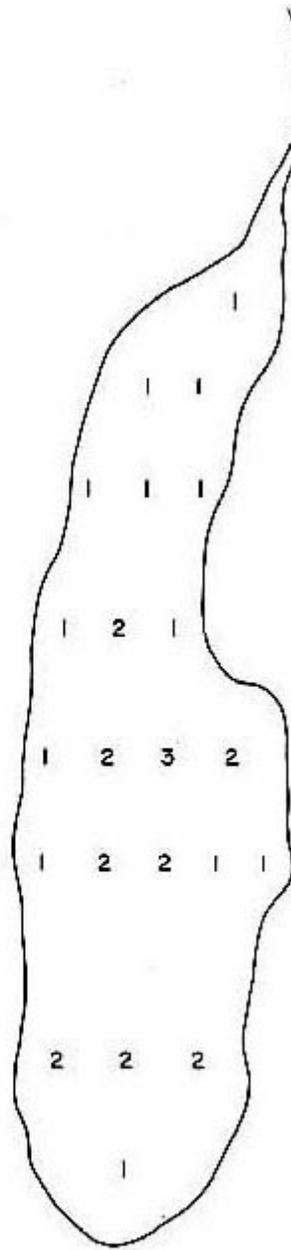


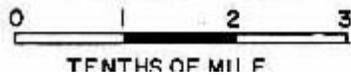
OUTLET



MIDAS #1794
CARIBOU LAKE

WASHBURN TWP, AROOSTOOK CO, MAINE

AREA 115 ACRES



TENTHS OF MILE

CARIBOU LAKE

Washburn Twp., Aroostook Co.
U.S.G.S. Caribou, Me (7 1/2')

Fishes

Brook trout	Fallfish
Minnows	Pearl dace
Redbelly dace	White sucker
Finescale dace	Banded killifish
Fathead minnow	Threespine stickleback
Creek chub	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 94 acres
Mean depth - 2 feet
Maximum depth - 3 feet

Temperatures:
Surface - 75°F
3 feet - 75°F

Principal fishery: Baitfish

Caribou Lake is a shallow pond with little potential for supporting a coldwater fishery for brook trout. The shoreline is mostly undeveloped with no tributaries, and the lake bottom is almost entirely deep, organic muck. These factors likely preclude the existence of brook trout except for on a very limited basis.

The lake has recently been a source of irrigation water for adjacent agricultural fields. In 1995 the lake was nearly completely dried as a result of such water withdrawals. Provisions have been made to allow for continued limited water withdrawal without destroying the aquatic environment.

General law fisheries regulations apply at Caribou Lake.

Although a small launch site for small watercraft is present, no right of way currently exists.

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